

CREATe New Funds Form

(available online from 10 March 2014; submission deadline 31 March 2014)

NOTES:

- 1. Proposals for new funding will be ranked on merit assessed with reference to the following criteria. Please note applications may address one or more questions and need not address all.
 - a. Does the proposed work add value to an existing WP (eg extends existing survey to new industry sector or population)?
 - b. Are funds sought for "pump priming", or to give leverage for more funding from sources other than CREATe?
 - c. Does the proposed work address gaps in the existing WPs (eg new developments CREATe ought to be covering)?
 - d. Does the proposed work contribute to "capacity building" by developing research skills not well covered in the consortium (eg quantitative empirical investigation)?
 - e. Does the proposal generate value for CREATe in terms of outputs and knowledge exchange (eg running and hosting events; generating academic or working papers; blogs for the CREATe website; training in skills for the rest of the consortium; public engagement)?
- 2. The usual RCUK Full Economic Costing (FEC) rules apply: funding will be available for up to 80% FEC, and the budget should be presented using the RCUK Joint electronic Submission (JeS) categories (directly allocated, directly incurred, indirect and exceptional costs). All applications should evidence value for money, and applications are likely to be better value for money if they limit existing investigators' time buy-out.
- 3. It is CREATe policy that the results and datasets emerging from CREATe funded research will be made publicly and openly accessible under an appropriate licence. This is a condition of New Funds funding.
- 4. Applications for under £15,000 will be reviewed by a panel of the Director and Deputy-Directors, and referred to the Programme Advisory Council for comment only. Applications for over £15,000 will be refereed by two experts with relevant expertise, appointed in consultation with the Chair of the Programme Advisory Council (Alison Brimelow).



For this round (deadline 31 March 2014), applications may only be made by existing members of the CREATe consortium. If you have any doubts about your status, or would like to raise other matters, feel free to contact the CREATe Centre Administrator (Diane.McGrattan@glasgow.ac.uk). Please do not contact the directors directly. We need a transparent record of communications.

In future rounds, standing to apply may be opened to a wider constituency. The deadline for the second round of funding deadline will be 31 August 2014, with two further rounds to follow in 2015. In total, £680K will be available. Divided between close to 80 qualifying academics and researchers, this is much less than it seems, and the Governance Board have encouraged us to be highly selective.

In this first round we expect to fund 3-5 "seeding" projects in the region of £5-15,000, and about 2 larger projects (around £50K).

PRO FORMA (ONLINE)

Application Number (Centre use only):

Please fill in as much information as possible.

- 1. Date of Submission (calendar opens)
- 2. Who is the PI of the project?
- 3. What other personnel do you envisage being involved if the project is funded?
- 4. Is the PI or are other key personnel already funded researchers in the CREATe project, or are CREATe partners or associates (give details, if in doubt, consult your institutional representative on the CREATe Management Committee in the first place).



- 5. Is the PI (select from dropdown list)
- Permanent Academic Contract
- Temporary Academic Contract
- RF / RA (Post-Doctoral Researcher)
- RA (pre- PhD)
- PhD (ongoing)
- 6. What research question does your proposed project address? [BOX (500 words max)]
- 7. Are you seeking funding (box) under £15K or (box) over 15K
- 8. How does this proposal contribute to, supplement or fill a gap in the CREATe research programme? If the proposal extends a project already funded by CREATe, please explain why this extension is necessary and what value will be added to the existing WP, having regard to note 1a above.

 [BOX (500 words max)]
- 8. How does this proposal contribute to the general research literature in its domain? [BOX (300 words max)]
- 9. Please explain clearly and briefly:
- 9.1 The time scale of the proposed project, including start and end dates and any key milestones (max 2 years);
- 9.2 The methodology that will be adopted;
- 9.3 The planned deliverables, including any envisaged publications, events or knowledge exchange;
- 9.4 The costs that are asked for in the form of a clear and precise budget. If costing personnel or buy out time, please explain from which institution figures were obtained and allow for any cost of living awards over time. If a named person is envisaged for any costed role, please give their name and institution (if any).
- Please indicate if any contribution is being made towards the project from other sources eg home institution.
- 9.5 The institution(s) where the research will be based. [Attachment, max 2 pages A4]



- 10. How do you plan to disseminate the results of the research to CREATe, to the wider academic community, to industry, to policymakers and to users/ consumers? [BOX (300 words max)]
- 11. How do you plan to achieve Impact?
 For guidance on the meaning of Impact for RCUK, see
 http://www.ahrc.ac.uk/Funding-Opportunities/Documents/RCUKImpactFAQ.pdf
 BOX [300 words max]
- 12. Please indicate if your research involves (select from dropdown list)

Industry
Public sector
Policymaker
Civil society
Other partners

[BOX (50 words max to name/ describe above choice)]

- 13. Attach CV of PI (max 2 pages A4)
- 14. Attach a letter of support (max 1 page A4) from any person or institution indicated as a partner.

Tick Box Tick to confirm that all details above are correct.